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Tsokos, et al.

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FOR: NOVEL METHOD FOR THE TREATMENT OF SYSTEMIC LUPUS
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Response

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 14, 2008, please consider the
following remarks: